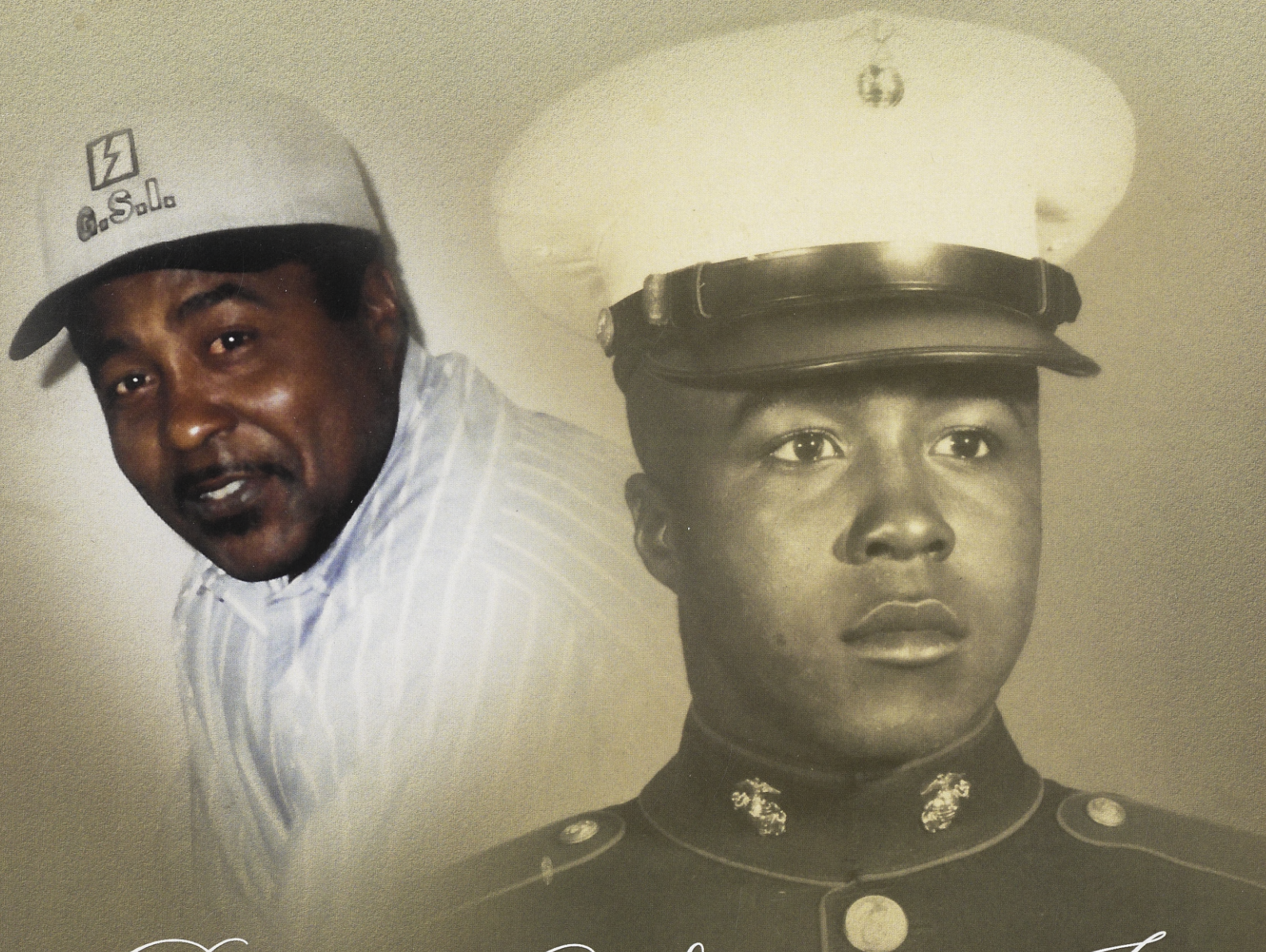


In Loving Memory



Roosevelt Whittington Jr.

Sunrise: September 11, 1949 - Sunset: March 19, 2016

Service Held

Friday April 1, 2016 11:00 A.M.
Elisabeth Missionary Baptist Church
520 Bissell Ave, Richmond, CA 94801

Reflections of Roosevelt's Life

"And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also." (John 14:3) How sweet it must be to open eyes and behold His face, nothing but love, peace, joy and happiness. Roosevelt began his book of life in San Francisco, CA on September 11, 1949 when God blessed Roosevelt Sr. and Tecora Whittington with their first born. Both parents preceded him in death. Roosevelt was affectionately known as "Little and Rosie". The family moved to Richmond, CA in 1954 from Las Vegas where he attended schools in the Richmond Unified School District. The family united with Elisabeth Missionary Baptist Church where he accepted Christ at a young age and later served as a Deacon and sang in the choir. His favorite song was "I Got a Mind to Live for Jesus". He was also a member of the "Buzzin Cuzzins" singing group with his cousins in his younger years.

On September 10, 1969 he was inducted into the United States Marines where he was discharged under "Honorable Conditions" in 1972. After returning home from the Marines he later attended welding school in Seattle, WA in 1976 and became a Tig and Arc Welder for various refineries in the Bay Area. After years of working as a welder he established his own welding business. He was well known as a Jack of all Trades. Roosevelt was an advocate bowler which he participated in local leagues and tournaments throughout the Bay Area. His life passion for Fishing, Boating and he was an avid fan of the San Francisco 49ers. This was well known by all who knew him. He loved and enjoyed spending time with his family and friends at family gatherings and picnics. Roosevelt was blessed with a great cheerful spirit and was a big jokester. In October 2015 when his health began to decline he moved from Antioch to Richmond with his sister and brother in-law, Sandra Faye and James Anderson who cared for him until he was admitted to the rehabilitation Facilities then to Kaiser Hospital in January. He maintained his pleasant spirit in spite of his health condition.

On March 19, 2016, God sent His angel and beckoned Roosevelt to step across the threshold while he was a patient at Kaiser Hospital in Richmond. He leaves to cherish precious memories, his wife Rose Whittington of Texas, two daughters, L'Tanya Whittington and Yolanda Whittington, one son, Roosevelt D. (Rebecca) Whittington of Eureka, CA and a great niece Miah Edwards whom he was raising. Three brothers, Roosevelt R. (Lillian) Whittington of Richmond, Gary (Sheila) Whittington of Austin, TX and Calvin Whittington of Reno, NV. He also leaves three sisters, Sandra (James) Anderson of Richmond, Darlene (Ray) Berry of Vallejo, and Anna (Ernest) Carr of Tacoma, WA. He leaves seven grandchildren, Isaiah and Kenya Boyd, D'marea Mason, Jason Wilson, Tai Babino, Shyniesa and Maliq Whittington and three great-grandchildren, Tamarea and Isaac Mason and Jada Wilson. One son, Anthony Whittington, two sisters Patricia Brown and Gwendolyn Whittington, and two brothers Bobby and Atkins Whittington preceded him in death. He also leaves a host of nieces, nephews, cousins other relatives and friends to cherish his memories. Yes we have suffered a great loss, but we must not mourn as if we will not see Roosevelt again, instead have that blessed hope that we will see him in Glory Land.

*Weeping endures for a night, but joy cometh in the morning.
"Sleep on Roosevelt, we will see you in the morning."*

Order Of Service

Program Moderator	Pastor Romel Jackson
Processional	Eric White
Old Testament	Deacon Ray Berry (Bro. In-law)
New Testament	Deacon James Anderson Sr. (Bro.)
Prayer	Minister Bobby Wade (Cousin)
Words of Encouragement	Minister Gary Whittington (Bro.)
Solo	Callie Williams (Niece)
Acknowledgements/Cards	Evelyn Singleton (Niece)
Obituary Reading	Brenda Shephard
Resolution	(Elisabeth Missionary Baptist Church)
Selection	Min. Charles Glasper (Fishing Bud.)
Expressions from Friends	Greg Cooper (Welder) Charlie Weaver (Childhood friend)
Solo	
Expressions from Family and Friends	2 minutes per person
Poem	Darlene Berry (Sister)
Solo	Evangelist Lucy Hodge
Eulogy	Pastor Wyndford Williams (cousin) All Nations Church of God in Christ
Final viewing	Fuller Staff
Marines Honor Ceremony	US Department of Veterans Affairs

Interment

Monday, April 4, 2016 at 11:00 A.M.
Sacramento Valley National Cemetery
5810 Midway Rd, Dixon, CA 95620



Active Pallbearers

Dwayne Anderson Sr.
Ramondo Whittington
Claude Young

Lorenzo Anderson
Antwan Anderson Sr.
Lionnell Whittington

Honorary Pallbearers

Roosevelt D. Whittington
Gary Whittington
James Anderson Sr.
Jason Wilson

Calvin Whittington
Roosevelt R. Whittington
Isaiah Boyd
D'Marea Mason

Acknowledgements

Perhaps you sent a lovely card, or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so, we saw it there. Perhaps you prayed a sincere prayer, or came to pay a call. Perhaps you sang a cheerful song, if so, we heard it all. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day. Perhaps you prepared a tasty dish. Perhaps you rendered a service unseen, near at hand or from a far. Whatever you did to console our hearts, by word or deed or touch; whichever was the kindly part, WE thank you very much and may God truly bless you.

The Family of Roosevelt Whittington Jr.

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